IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Ali Afzali-Ardakni, et al.

Serial No.: 10/642,615 **Group Art Unit**: 1743

Filed: August 19, 2003 Examiner: Yelena G. Gakh

For: MOLECULAR MANIPULATOR, A METHOD OF MAKING THE SAME,

AND A METHOD OF MOVING A NANOSTRUCTURE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed April 30, 2008. Please charge Assignee's Deposit Account No. 50-0510 for the extension fee in the amount of \$120.00. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Assignee's Deposit Account No. 50-0510.

Respectfully Submitted,

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